

## House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize Ruby Ward, an esteemed resident of Bowling Green, Missouri, who has distinguished herself as one of eleven semi-finalists in the 18th Annual Missouri Outstanding Older Worker Contest; and

**Whereas**, this annual event seeks to select a Missouri resident who is 55 years of age or older, gainfully employed at a Missouri job for an average of 20 or more hours per week, and displays dependability, loyalty, new skills, and self-motivation on the job; and

**Whereas**, Ruby Ward has been employed by C&R Market since April 8, 1991, prior to which time she had spent many years in the grocery business, beginning her grocery career in January of 1957 with J&M Market in Louisiana; and

**Whereas**, in 1982, Ruby Ward transferred to the west end of Louisiana where she went to work for Kent's IGA, which later became C&R Market in 1991; and

**Whereas**, Ruby Ward will be honored during a special recognition ceremony to be held May 1, 2008, at the Missouri State Capitol:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Ruby Ward at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Ruby Ward.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Terry L. Witte  
District No. 10

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,  
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, adopted \_\_\_\_, 2008.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker